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Scientific Name	Common Name	State	USFWS	Habitats Used
Amphibians				
<i>Ambystoma cingulatum</i>	Flatwoods salamander	Sp. Spec. Concern	Threatened	N. FL Flatwoods (in association with ephemeral wetlands), Cypress Swamp, Ruderal
<i>Rana capito</i>	Gopher (=crawfish) frog	Sp. Spec. Concern		Longleaf Pine/Turkey Oak Hills, Sand Pine Scrub, Scrubby Flatwoods, Xeric Oak Hammock (uses ephemeral wetlands for breeding)
Birds				
<i>Aramus guarauna</i>	Limpkin	Sp. Spec. Concern		Mangrove Swamp, Freshwater Marsh & Ponds, Cypress Swamp, Springs, Slough, Sawgrass Marsh, Ruderal (impoundments, canals, sugarcane, etc.)
<i>Egretta caerulea</i>	Little blue heron	Sp. Spec. Concern		N. & S. FL Coastal Strand, Wet Prairie or Slough, Freshwater Marsh & Ponds, Mangrove Swamps, Cypress Swamp, Sawgrass Marsh, Salt Marsh, Shrub Bog & Bay Swamp, Ruderal
<i>Egretta thula</i>	Snowy egret	Sp. Spec. Concern		N. & S. FL Coastal Strand, Wet Prairie or Slough, Freshwater Marsh & Ponds, Mangrove Swamps, Cypress Swamp, Sawgrass Marsh, Salt Marsh, Shrub Bog & Bay Swamp, Ruderal
<i>Egretta tricolor</i>	Tricolored (=Louisiana) heron	Sp. Spec. Concern		N. & S. FL Coastal Strand, Wet Prairie or Slough, Freshwater Marsh & Ponds, Mangrove Swamps, Cypress Swamp, Sawgrass Marsh, Salt Marsh, Shrub Bog & Bay Swamp, Ruderal
<i>Eudocimus albus</i>	White ibis	Sp. Spec. Concern		N. & S. FL Coastal Strand, Wet Prairie or Slough, Freshwater Marsh & Ponds, Mangrove Swamps, Cypress Swamp, Sawgrass Marsh, Salt Marsh, Shrub Bog & Bay Swamp, Ruderal
<i>Falco peregrinus</i>	Peregrine falcon	Endangered		N. & S. FL Coastal Strands (winter), Various Terrestrial and Ruderal Habitats
<i>Falco sparverius paulus</i>	Southeastern American kestrel	Threatened		Open Forests, Clearings, Ruderal, Various Open Habitats
<i>Grus canadensis pratensis</i>	Florida sandhill crane	Threatened		N. & S. FL Flatwoods, Wet Prairie or Slough, Dry Prairie, Shallow Freshwater Marsh, Ruderal (pasture, crop fields, etc.)
<i>Haliaeetus leucocephalus</i>	Bald eagle	Threatened	Threatened	Nearly throughout (estuarine, lacustrine, riverine, terrestrial); nests are usually near water

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Fish				
<i>Acipenser oxyrhynchus desotoi</i>	Atlantic (=Gulf) sturgeon	Sp. Spec. Concern	Threat. - Critical Habitat Designated	Various Estuarine & Marine Habitats, Alluvial & Blackwater Streams
<i>Micropterus n. sp. cf coosae</i>	Shoal bass; Chipola bass	Sp. Spec. Concern		Alluvial Stream
<i>Micropterus notius</i>	Suwannee bass	Sp. Spec. Concern		Alluvial, Blackwater & Spring-run Streams
Mammals				
<i>Sciurus niger shermani</i>	Sherman's fox squirrel	Sp. Spec. Concern		N. & S. FL Flatwoods, Longleaf Pine/Turkey Oak Hills, Ruderal
<i>Ursus americanus floridanus</i>	Florida black bear	Threatened		N. & S. FL & Cabbage Palm Flatwoods, Mixed Hardwood Pine, Wetland to Upland Hardwood & Oak Hammocks, Shrub Bog & Bay Swamp, Cypress Swamp, Freshwater Marsh & Ponds, Pitcher Plant Bog, Swamp and Bottomland Hardwoods, Sand Pine Scrub, Longleaf Pine/Turkey Oak Hills (not applicable in Baker & Columbia counties and Apalachicola Nat'l Forest)
Plant - Dicots				
<i>Conradina glabra</i>	Apalachicola (=panhandle) rosemary	Endangered	Endangered	Longleaf Pine/Turkey Oak Hills, Mixed Hardwood Pine (near Sweetwater Creek in Liberty county, lightly shaded to full sunlight along ravine edges, pine plantations and roadsides)
<i>Macbridea alba</i>	White birds-in-a-nest	Endangered	Threatened	Pitcher Plant Bogs, Scrub Bog & Bay Swamp, Grassy Mesic N. FL Flatwoods, Savannas, Ruderal (roadsides)
<i>Pinguicula ionantha</i>	Godfrey's (=violet-flowered) butterwort	Endangered	Threatened	Scrub Bog & Bay Swamp, Pitcher Plant Bogs, Wet N. FL Flatwoods, Cypress Swamp, Wet Prairies (often in standing water)
<i>Rhododendron chapmanii</i>	Chapman's rhododendron	Endangered	Endangered	Scrub Bog and Bay Swamp, Mesic and Scrubby N. FL. Flatwoods
<i>Scutellaria floridana</i>	Florida skullcap; helmet-flowers	Endangered	Threatened	Mesic N. FL Flatwoods, Pitcher Plant Bogs, Shrub Bog and Bay Swamp, Grassy Openings
<i>Spigelia gentianoides</i>	Gentian (=panhandle) pinkroot	Endangered	Endangered	Upland Hardwood Hammock, Mixed Hardwood Pine

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Plant - Gymnosperm				
<i>Torreya taxifolia</i>	Florida torreya	Endangered	Endangered	Mixed Hardwood Pine, Upland Hardwood Hammock, Ravines
Plant - Monocots				
<i>Harperocallis flava</i>	Harper's beauty	Endangered	Endangered	Scrub Bog and Bay Swamp, Pitcher Plant Bogs, Savannas, Ruderal (roadsides)
Reptiles				
<i>Alligator mississippiensis</i>	American alligator	Sp. Spec. Concern	Endangered - SA	All Flatwoods, Bogs, Sloughs, Swamps, Marshes, Sloughs and Perennial Water Bodies
<i>Drymarchon corais couperi</i>	Eastern indigo snake	Threatened	Threatened	E. indigo snakes use just about all FL Ecol. Communities, Ruderal
<i>Gopherus polyphemus</i>	Gopher tortoise	Sp. Spec. Concern		N. & S. Coastal Strand, Longleaf Pine/Turkey Oak Hills, Sand Pine Scrub, Scrubby Flatwoods, Tropical Hammock, Ruderal
<i>Graptemys barbouri</i>	Barbour's map (=sawback) turtle	Sp. Spec. Concern		Alluvial Stream, Cypress Swamps, Swamp & Bottomland Hardwoods
<i>Macrolemys temmincki</i>	Alligator snapping turtle	Sp. Spec. Concern		Salt Marsh, River, Floodplain Lake, Swamp Lake, Alluvial & Blackwater Stream
<i>Pituophis melanoleucus mugitus</i>	Florida pine snake	Sp. Spec. Concern		Longleaf Pine/Turkey Oak Hills, Scrubby Flatwoods, Xeric Oak Hammock, Ruderal
<i>Pseudemys concinna suwanniensis</i>	Suwannee cooter	Sp. Spec. Concern		Alluvial, Blackwater & Spring-run Streams